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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a two-month Extension of Time, to and including January 7, 2002, be granted in which to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated September 7, 2001 in the above-identified application.

Our check including the amount of \$400.00 is attached in payment of the appropriate fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment due, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1417.

Respectfully submitted,


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